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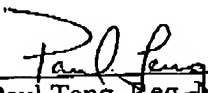
The application has been reviewed in light of the final Office Action dated February 6, 2006. Claims 1, 3, 7, 8, 14, 16, 20, 21, 27, 29, 33 and 34 were pending, with claims 2, 4-6, 9-13, 15, 17-19, 22-26, 28, 30-32 and 35-39 having previously been canceled, without prejudice or disclaimer. The Office Action states that claims 7, 8, 20, 21, 33 and 34 have been allowed. By this Amendment, claims 1, 3, 14, 16, 27 and 29 have been canceled. Accordingly, only allowed claims 7, 8, 20, 21, 33 and 34 are now pending.

Since only allowed claims 7, 8, 20, 21, 33 and 34 are now pending, Applicant submits that the application is now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicant earnestly solicits the allowance of the application.

If a petition for an extension of time is required to make this response timely, this paper should be considered to be such a petition. The Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required in connection with this amendment and to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

If a telephone interview could advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,


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